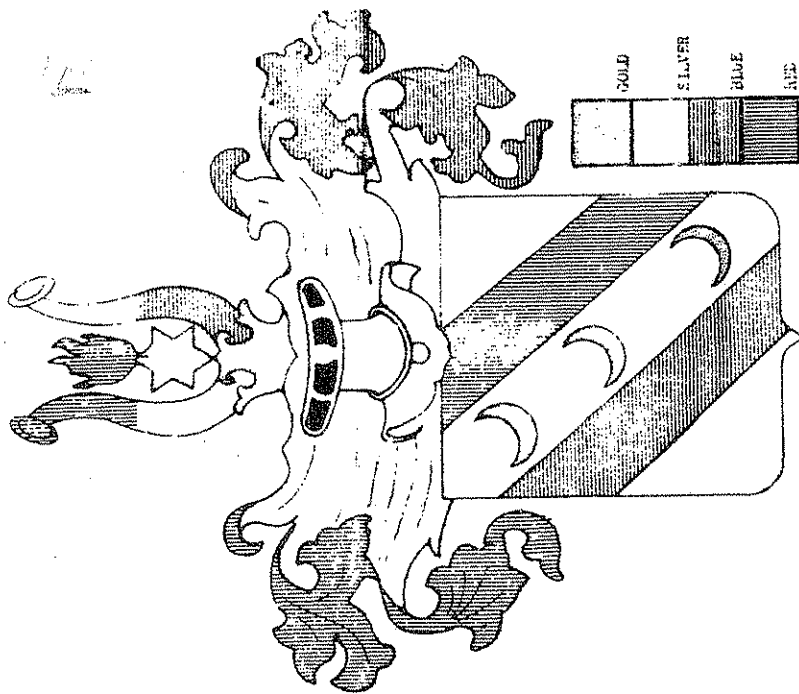


## Coat of Arms

A coat of arms originally meant a light tunic decorated with symbolgy and worn over battle armor. The symbolgy served to identify the wearer (whose face might be covered by the visor of his helmet) as the member of a particular family or group. The symbolgy itself eventually came to be known as a coat of arms.

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